

## Hydric Soil Interpretations

Hydric soils are developed under conditions sufficiently wet to support the growth and regeneration of hydrophytic vegetation. This listing includes phases of soil series that may or may not have been drained. Some soil series, designated as hydric, have phases that are not hydric depending on water table, flooding, and ponding characteristics.

This list will have a number of agricultural and nonagricultural applications. These include assistance in land use planning, conservation planning, and assessment of potential wildlife habitat. An area that meets the hydric soil criteria must also meet the hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology criteria in order for it to be classified as a jurisdictional wetland (See the "Federal Manual for Identifying and Delineating Jurisdictional Wetlands," 1989).

*This section includes:*

- **County list of Hydric Soils**